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KRISTIAN PRESTGARD

Gladiolus Carmen Sylva

*A new white florists variety of great value, originated by Kristian Prestgard
(Decorah Gladiolus Gardens)*

*Pure white, throat slightly penciled lilac, tall and straight, strong and healthy, multiplies very good and
over 90 per cent of cormels germinate in normal seasons.*

STRONG ENDORSEMENTS BY MANY WELL KNOWN EXPERTS:

"I saw CARMEN SYLVA at a local show last summer and consider it a very promising commercial variety, hoping it may replace "Europa" which seems to be about played out."—**S. E. Spencer**, Woburn, Mass.

"We have CARMEN SYLVA and Europa nearly side by side and Sylva is far ahead in every respect. It is the best white I have ever seen."—**E. T. Scott**, Clairmont, Ia.

"The best of all was CARMEN SYLVA, long spike, good well open flowers; everybody that saw it admired it."—**Herman Kirscht**, Pleasantville, N. J.

"I think CARMEN SYLVA one of the very best whites that I have seen."—**E. M. Sanford**, Madison, N. J.

"CARMEN SYLVA is surely a wonderful white glad. Everyone who saw it exclaimed over it."—**Grace Kimball**, Waltham, Minn.

"I was very much impressed with CARMEN SYLVA."—**Chas. F. Fairbanks**, Lexington, Mass.

"Your CARMEN SYLVA made a great hit at the Mansfield show."—**A. L. Stephen**, Waban, Mass.

"The following I would class A No. 1: THEDA BARA, JENNY LIND, CARMEN SYLVA. These three are hard to beat."—**J. C. Crombie**, St. Thomas, Ont.

"CARMEN SYLVA was the center of attraction at our second Toronto exhibit. It wasn't out at the first exhibit but the following week you should have seen the glad fans line up in front of Carmen Sylva."—**Dr. F. E. Bennett**, President St. Thomas Horticultural Society, St. Thomas, Ont.

"CARMEN SYLVA appears to be a coming florists variety of great value."—**Howard M. Gillet**, Lebanon Springs, N. Y.

"By the way, CARMEN SYLVA won first on white at our N. Y. State fair."—**John J. Prouty**, Baldwinsville, N. Y.

"CARMEN SYLVA was, with one exception, the best in my gardens of any whites."—**C. Fred Boshart**, Lowville, N. Y.

Decorah Gladiolus Gardens, Decorah, Iowa

